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For: MESSAGING APPLICATION LAYER OVER  
ETHERNET TO TRANSPORT LAYER (TCP)  
COMMUNICATIONS METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
A MODULAR TERMINAL INPUT/OUTPUT SYSTEM

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
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    - i.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
    - ii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  Enclosed
    - i.  Amendment/Reply
    - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
    - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_ Petition for One Month Extension
2. Miscellaneous
  - a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)
  - b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
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